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Ray, as we discussed earlier this evening, regarding the PR outreach programs:

- **If EPA will not initiate the PR program you described to me yesterday, the CPG will:**
 - o **Suspend the part of our outreach campaigns requesting local officials and NGOs to submit letters and/or resolutions opposing the FFS.**
 - o **Reach out to suspend issuance of any such letters that are already “in progress” from previous meetings.**
 - o **The CPG will also postpone a congressional briefing meeting currently scheduled for April 2 in NJ.**
- **We request that during this “moratorium” we have the opportunity to meet with the Regional Administrator – we can develop the agenda for this meeting in cooperation with you and Region 2 staff, but since this is now elevated to her level, we believe real progress will not be made without the opportunity of the CPG to speak directly to Judith.**

Let me know if we need to talk over the weekend – I’m also available up until about 10 AM on Monday. Hope this works out for all of us.

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